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## Sharon McNamara Chosen for Top Honor by Nurses

Miss Sharon McNamara, senior nursing student, was elected "Miss Student Nurse" of the College of St. Teresa Nursing Department, February 26, 1957. Sharon was selected from the upper one-third of the Senior Class. Qualifications demanded of the student nominees were professional conduct, leadership, good interpersonal relationship with co-workers and patients, poise and appearance.



SHARON McNAMARA

The winner of each district contest will prepare a three to five minute speech on "What Nursing Means to Me" to be given at the state contest. A committee of three medical people and two civic leaders will act as judges. The winner of the state contest will be named "Miss Student Nurse of Missouri."

## Seven Teresians Pronounce Vows On Feast Day

Seven former Teresians made their temporary vows on the Feast of St. Joseph, March 19, in the chapel of the Mother House of the Sisters of St. Joseph. These Sisters were among the 30 who have completed a six-month period in the Postulate and a two-year Novitiate. Six of the seven Teresians were in the Nursing Department.

Sister Catherine Louis (formerly Helen Rutte) and her twin sister, Sister Helen Lucile (Catherine) had completed one year of college work in the four-year degree program of nursing. They were resident students.

Sister Mary Christopher (Mary Brockman) graduated from the three-year diploma program. Another graduate nurse from the three-year program is Sister Mary Helene (Ann Schorfheide) who received her degree in 1954.

Sister Maureen Patrick (Jane Kelly), a niece of Sister Margaret Eileen who is superior of the St. Joseph's Hospital in Kirkwood, Missouri, had completed two years

## Faculty Elect Two Seniors To Catholic Honor Societies

Two seniors, Mary Jo Randall and Patricia Ketterlin, were elected by faculty vote at the March faculty meeting to the two honor societies on campus. Mary Jo Randall, French major, carries a 2.82 average and was elected to Kappa Gamma Pi, national honor society for Catholic women college graduates. Patricia Ketterlin, chemistry major, with a 2.60 average, was selected for Delta Epsilon Sigma, national Catholic honor society for men and women.

Candidates for both honor societies must carry a scholastic average of 2.5 and give indication

during their student life of future leadership. Mary Jo Randall has been active in dramatics. During the past three years she has taken leading roles at the Kansas City University and at Rockhurst. Last summer she attended Laval University, Quebec, on a scholarship. She has completed her college work in three years.

Patricia Ketterlin has been an active sodalist during her four years on campus. This year she is the Sodality Prefect. During her junior year she was a lab assistant in the Chemistry Department.

Competitive Scholarship Examinations for all greater Kansas City high school seniors will be given Saturday, March 23. Four academic scholarships will be awarded plus scholarships in each of the following: art, music, speech and drama, and nursing.

## Senior Music Major to Give Piano Recital

Marilyn Lynch will give her senior recital March 24 in the Music and Arts auditorium. Marilyn is a piano major and studied with Sister de La Salle. At present she is a student of Mrs. William Farran. She is also the accompanist for the College Chorus and vocal soloists. Marilyn is president of the Senior Class and a member of *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*.

The recital will begin at four P.M., and will be followed by a reception in the Lounge. The program will include the first movement of Beethoven's "Pathetique Sonata," and the Grieg Piano Concerto in A minor, as well as works by Bach, Chopin, Brahms and modern composers. Assisting Marilyn will be Marilyn Hentges, soprano, and the college vocal ensemble.

of the three-year program. Sister Mary Rachael (Frances Dillman) had also completed two years of the three-year program before entering.

Sister George Carol, a convert, was Annette Middleton. Annette was a resident student at the College and had completed her freshman year.

### A CCD Speaker April 1

Father Martin Froeschel, assistant at St. Louis parish, will be the guest speaker at the student assembly April 1. Father will show slides on the Holy Shroud of Turin.

CCD members, Bernadine Abbott, Suzie Giblin, Teresa Frame and Mary Lou Parra have been giving instructions to handicapped children at the Cathedral school each Saturday morning.

## 3 Members of Student Council Win Primaries; Finals, March 25

Primaries for Student Government President held March 15, yielded the following results: Suzie Giblin, Mary Ellen O'Hern, and Frances Meyers are candidates for the office. Final elections will take place March 25. All three candidates are present members of the Student Council.

Nominees for secretary and treasurer of the association will be selected by the Sophomore and Freshman Classes at their class meetings April 2. Members of the Sodality will elect the Prefect for the coming year on April 9.

Top officers in the Press have been appointed by Sister Marcella Marie, advisor. Margaret Yonke

has been reappointed Editor of *The Teresian* and Kathryn Musick will again edit the literary magazine, *The Golden Echo*. Virginia Bartholome, freshman, has been appointed associate-editor for the school paper, *The Teresian*, and Anne Yonke, sophomore, will be chairman of the Literary Club and press representative on the Student Council. Other staff appointments will be made in April.

## Lenten Program Planned; Verse Choir and Drama

In keeping with the spirit of Lent, the Drama Department will present a program Sunday afternoon, April 7, at 8:00 p.m. A verse choir will recite certain passages adapted from the prophecy of Isaiah and centering around the sorrowful mysteries of the rosary. This same group will also sing hymns on the Passion and Death of Christ. The speaking parts will be directed by Sister M. Felice and the singing parts by Sister Olive Louise.

### "The Third Window"

In the second part of the program an original one-act play, "The Third Window," by Sister Marcella Marie, will be presented. The play depicts the life of St. Barbara and her love of the Blessed Trinity. The cast includes Barbara; her governess, Nysa; a maid, Reno; Barbara's father, Dioscorus; and Valentine, the Emperor's son. A chorus of five wise virgins and five foolish virgins function in interpreting the temptations of Barbara. The Gospel for St. Barbara's feast, December 4, has been woven into the texture of the play.

The male roles have not yet been selected. Mary Jo Randall will take the part of St. Barbara; Alyce Marie Schmidt, that of the governess, Nysa; and Mary McQueeney, Reno.

### Symbolic Setting

Sister M. Felice has designed the setting for the play. It is a tower room with the three traditional windows of St. Barbara. The costumes will be symbolic in color and fashioned on medieval styles rather than the historic third-century Greek style. Barbara will wear a rich red in keeping with her martyrdom.

## French Major Gives Recital

The French Department presented Mary Joanne Randall, senior, in a French dramatic recital Sunday evening, March 17, at seven-thirty in the auditorium of the Music and Arts building.

The program, given entirely in French, included the works or selections from the works of leading French writers beginning with "A Cassandre" by the 16th century poet, Pierre de Ronsard, and closing with two scenes from *L'Annonce Faite a Marie* by the 20th century author, Paul Claudel. The program was designed to follow the growth of French literature to the present day.

Some of the other works presented by Mary Jo were two of the *Fables* of Jean de la Fontaine, who wrote in the 17th century; *La Mort du Loup*, by Alfred de Vigny of the late 18th century; and "La Chevre de Monsieur Seguin" by Alphonse Daudet.

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## Round Your Lips . . .



AND IT COMES OUT RIGHT: Sister Rita Agnes coaches Gretchen in the proper way to make that elusive but important "eu."

Sister Rita Agnes, Head of the French Department, has announced that Gretchen Teichgraber, sophomore, has been awarded the scholarship to Laval University at Quebec.

Gretchen will leave on June 27 for Quebec where she will study for six weeks at the French Summer School of the University. She will be classified into one of two sections according to the results of initial placement tests given at registration.

French grammar and practical exercises, composition, conversation, phonetics and literature are the courses in which she will be enrolled.

During her stay at Quebec Gretchen will be submerged in a

French atmosphere. She will live in a French-Canadian home with several other students. When she arrives at Laval she will sign a pledge, along with the other students, to speak nothing but French during the session. This includes all contacts outside of class also. She will be given a badge to wear that reads "Parlez-moi francais, s'il vous plait."

Gretchen plans to take advantage of the city's tourist attractions and make the weekly excursions which are arranged for the benefit of summer school students by the University. Among the places she will visit are the shrine at St. Anne de Beaupre, Montmorency Falls, and the museums along the Citadel.



## Mr. Frank Sheed Describes "Modern" Concept of God

VIRGINIA BARTHOLOME

According to Mr. Frank Sheed, the man of today (even the atheist) believes God exists. But to discover what is his idea of this God whose existence he does not deny, presents a problem. This was the central theme of Mr. Sheed's address to the students and faculty at the March 9th assembly.

The modern idea of God is not the Catholic idea. This has remained unchanged for some two thousand years and can hardly be called "modern". Nor is this the idea of God that is held by those eccentrics who, because they happen to be living in the twentieth century are called "modern".

In order to justify his conclusion on the nature of the modern concept of God, Mr. Sheed informed the students and faculty of the source of his information. As a publisher he has come in contact with the learned world and as a speaker for the Catholic Evidence Guild in England, Australia, and the United States, he has exchanged ideas and come to know the people on the street corners.

As Mr. Sheed said, he has run the gamut of people and personalities from those whose brows are so high that they are "snow-capped most of the year" to those whose brows are so low that they "are resting on the bridges of their nose." The most striking difference between the two extremes is that he found the people on the street corner express their ideas of God more intelligently and more coherently because they are more honest.

In the modern concept of God any fear of Him is non-existent. The love of God, if it is present in the atmosphere, is "extraordinarily hidden." No one asks what is the will of God when it comes to resolving problems. In other words, "modern belief in God is accompanied by practically no idea of God at all. There is no idea corresponding to the word 'God'."

To the modern man, God is somebody, somewhere. What He is, wants, does, or can do—no one knows. Atheists and theists are alike. Neither know what God is.

Mr. Sheed has also found that there is an immense increase in church-going in America that has not yet reached England. It is "probably the greatest increase in church-going since the Salem witch burnings." But, paradoxically, when questioned, only 4% of these new church-goers gave a religious reason for church attendance. "To these people religion is service of neighbor with sermons and hymns added to taste." It is, in a way, a type of profanity, religion without God.

## Daughters and Dads



Francis Spruill and Judy Stephenson, freshmen, pause with their best dates, their fathers, before the Father-Daughter banquet, March 5. About 125 persons attended the dinner held at Milleman's on the Plaza. Father Alvin Deem O.F.M. was guest speaker and Father Nadeau, college chaplain, served as master of ceremonies.

It's a case of starvation, Mr. Sheed believes. "Man is hungry." He needs God, but he isn't aware of this hunger. He has no knowledge of God, he has no morals, no standards, nothing to test his actions by. "Until they know God and His will men can only follow the line of least resistance. His moral muscles become flabby."

The solution proffered by Mr. Sheed was not at all a radical one nor was it a new one. The Catholic laity, the rank and file, must tell the world what God is. "In this clamorous world only one voice can be heard—the voice of one human to another. We must set ourselves to work to master the truth, master the means of saying it, and be willing to say it."

## Lent: A Time to Sing Joyfully to God

The name "Lent" is derived from the Old English "lencten" meaning the spring season? Does it seem incongruous that Lent should have a theme of penance and a title of rejoicing? The breath of blossoming lilacs, the chirp of robins, the excitement of fresh grass—the earth rejoices and is reborn. Does it seem right that man should be "dressed in black" while the rest of God's creation is green and fresh?

The truth is man should be rejoicing. For Lent can bring him to triumph. As the earth is also reborn, so too can man grow in sanctity and finally bring forth the blossoms and fruit.

All begins with Adam and Eve. In the beginning man, the composite of body and soul was perfect. And according to his nature, his body was subject to his soul. But after the fall of man, this body began to make demands and, in its own way, to rule the spirit. In Lent, especially, man seeks to reestablish this former state of submission. Man strives to regain the perfection of Paradise. The perfection of man, for the honor and glory of God, brings happiness and rejoicing. Thus in Lent, man, too, is reborn in joy. "Sing joyfully to God, all the earth, serve ye the Lord with gladness." (Offertory: Monday, Fourth Week of Lent.)

## Dean's List

To be eligible for the Dean's List the student must carry at least 15 hours of credit with an average of 2.5. The Honor Roll lists those students who carry 15 hours with at least a 2 point average (B average). These honor students may not make below a C in any course, even those which carry no credit. Pat Ketterlin, senior, carried a 3 point average the first semester with 13 hours of credit. Three of her courses were in science.

Virginia Bartholome .....	Freshman	2.89
Anne (Nancy) Schmitz .....	Freshman	2.80
Sister Charles Cecilia Stulb, C.S.J. ....	Senior	2.78
Sandra Janousek .....	Freshman	2.72
Sister Mary Suzanne Brand, C.S.J. ....	Sophomore	2.68
Mary Ellen O'Hern .....	Junior	2.66
Margaret Marguerite Dudley .....	Junior	2.63
Annette Jean Nocita .....	Sophomore	2.61
Mary Jo Randall .....	Senior	2.61
Gretchen Teichgraber .....	Sophomore	2.55
Margaret Louise Yonke .....	Junior	2.50

### HONOR ROLL

Elizabeth Ann Davis .....	Senior	2.47
Frances Ann Spruill .....	Freshman	2.43
Jean Jacobson .....	Senior	2.41
Carmelita Bergup .....	Sophomore	2.39
Patrice Ann Lammers .....	Freshman	2.38
Kathryn Ann Musick .....	Junior	2.37
Sister Robert Margaret C.S.J. ....	Junior	2.35
Mrs. Mary Costa Tamboli .....	Senior	2.34
Suzanne Gible .....	Junior	2.33
Marilyn Hentges .....	Sophomore	2.31
Judith Hedenkamp .....	Sophomore	2.27
Mary Eileen O'Donnell .....	Junior	2.16
Sallie Ann Rielley .....	Senior	2.12
Sharon Louise Broski .....	Freshman	2.10
Carolyn Bousman .....	Sophomore	2.05
Elizabeth Guegan .....	Sophomore	2.05
Twila Hegarty .....	Junior	2.00
Marianne Jacobs .....	Junior	2.00
Patricia Marie Rehagen .....	Sophomore	2.00
Theresa Lucille Frame .....	Freshman	2.00



Don't worry, I got his number. It's a 2 and a 1 and a 3. And some other numbers we haven't had yet.

## FACULTY NEWS

### ● CONVENTIONS

Sister Grace Louise, Head of the Business Department, attended a national meeting of Industry and Education, March 11-13, at Indianapolis. Sister M. Berenice, President, and Sister M. Alfred, Dean, will attend the annual North Central Meeting in Chicago from April 2 to 5. Sister M. Georgiana, Registrar, will attend the national meeting of registrars to be held in Denver, April 23 to 27. Two faculty members, Sister Henrietta Eileen and Sister Marcella Marie, will represent the college at the National Catholic Educational Association Meeting in Milwaukee, April 23-26. Sister Marcella Marie has been asked to act as recorder at the college workshop session on April 24. Sister Henrietta Eileen will attend the sessions on adult education. Four college faculty members will attend the Educational Conference of the Sisters of St. Joseph in St. Louis, April 27-28. They are Sister M. Alfred, Sister Henrietta Eileen, Sister Marcella Marie, and Sister M. Fabian.

### ● EXHIBIT

Mrs. Helen Riedel, art instructor, held a public exhibit of her watercolor work in the lounge of Donnelly Hall from March 10-17. For the opening of the exhibit a reception was held from three to five, Sunday, March 10. Miss Helen Jane Gray, admissions counselor, poured tea. Mrs. Riedel's water colors include portraits, landscapes, and flowers from her foreign travel. Countries represented are Canada, Switzerland, Venezuela, and South Africa.

### ● PUBLICATION

In the forthcoming annual bulletin of The National Catholic Theatre Conference Sister Marcella Marie will have an article entitled "Creative Writing and the Curriculum." The bulletin will be distributed at the National Meeting of the Conference here in June. Copies are one dollar. The same bulletin will also carry two pictures from drama productions of the past year, *The Last of the Leprechauns* and *You Never Can Tell*.

### ● NEWS FLASH

Miss Sharon McNamara will represent the district in the State Contest. She was elected unanimously for this honor, March 19.

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# Nurses Capped In Ceremony At Hospital

The pre-clinical period for twenty-nine freshman and sophomore nurses was concluded on Saturday, March 2, by the receiving of nurses caps at the Saint Joseph Hospital chapel, at 7:30 p.m.,

Dr. Rita Peril, instructor in science, and Miss Ruth Hulse, instructor in medical nursing, removed the white beanie, symbol of the pre-clinical period, from the head of each student and put in its place the traditional nurses cap. Following reception of the caps the students recited the Florence Nightingale pledge, promising to "maintain and elevate the standards" of their profession.

Father Joseph Staudinger, O. S. B., hospital chaplain, addressed the students and congregation, stressing the seriousness of the responsibilities of the profession, and comparing the nurses' training program to that of the religious. Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament followed, with Father Joseph Nadeau, O. P., as celebrant.

Families and friends of the newly capped students met at the reception which followed immediately in the Rossiter Hall lounge.

Students who received the caps are: Karen Bock, Mary Sue Brancato, Patricia Cahill, Barbara Ann Coen, Teresa Eldringhoff, Joyce Gueguen Josephine Guillermo, Norma Nadine Gunn, Patricia Hair, Judith Hedenkamp, Rachel Heuertz, Margaret Theresa Incani, Rita Kay Jackson, Rita Marie Klos, Elaine Lunn, Carmela Malulot, Mary Lou McMichael, Mary Kay Morgan, Annette Nocita, Nancy Ellen O'Keefe, Joan Louise Parkinson, Laura Marie Pieper, Ann Reid, Joyce Ann Rolston, Dorothy Schumann, Rita Louise Staab, Jo Ann Wilson, Mary Kathryn Wohletz.



AFTER THE CAPPING CEREMONY the nurses gathered in the Rossiter Hall lounge. Here their families and friends were invited to coffee and cakes. To the left of the newly capped nurses are Ruth Hulse, M.A., and Dr. Rita Peril. At the right of the group are two instructors,

Virginia Micelli and Martha Gail. The names of the twenty-nine who have completed their pre-clinical training are listed in the article to the left.

## Rev. Kusman Speaks On Holy Father

Reverend Stanley Kusman S.M., an expert on Mariology, spoke at the March 11 assembly sponsored by the Sodality. The topic of his speech was "Our Holy Father."

Father Kusman was born in Poland and was a chaplain in the army during World War II. At present he is touring the United States giving lectures and retreats. He gave the keynote address at the Regional Marian Congress held on March 10 at Xavier, Kansas. Father Kusman left for Bloomington, Illinois, following his Kansas City appointment.

In his lecture, Father Kusman, who has had several audiences with the Holy Father, spoke of him as the man and as the Vicar of Christ. He emphasized his extreme holiness and his very human qualities, especially his love for children. "Pope Pius XII is," said Father Kusman, "the greatest man alive."

## Members of K. C. Education Board Visit College

Three members of the Kansas City Board of Education were guests at a luncheon held at the college March 11. Miss Florence Beck, of the Philosophy Department, served as hostess at the luncheon. Mr. Charles S. Robinson, assistant superintendent of personnel, Miss Barbara Henderson, general director of elementary education, and Joseph B. Bryan, general director of secondary education, interviewed prospective teachers from the Senior Class following the luncheon.

Two seniors, Eleanor Danzo, and Sallie Rielley were interviewed for teaching positions in the secondary schools.

Seven seniors, Jean Jacobson, Mary Ross, Patricia O'Donnell, Pa. Donnelly, Nancy Witherow, Carolyn McGrath, and Barbara Woodward, applied for elementary teaching posts. Three education majors have already begun their teaching careers, Mrs. Aileen Steffan, Adabooth Smith, Blanche Walker.



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## Sodalists on Panel in Region Mariology Meet at Xavier

The Mariology Commission of the NFCCS held its regional Congress at St. Mary College, Xavier, Kansas, on Sunday, March 10.

Schools represented at the Congress were: St. Teresa's, Mount St. Scholastica and St. Benedict's, Atchison, Kansas; St. Mary of the Plains, Dodge City; Ursuline, Paola, Kansas; Marymount, Salina, Kansas; Fontbonne and Webster Grove, St. Louis; and St. Mary's of Omaha, Nebraska. All Newman Clubs in the region were also invited.

Reverend Stanley Kusman, S. M., delivered the keynote address, following Mass and breakfast. A rotating panel was then presented once during the morning session and twice during the afternoon. Four colleges, St. Teresa's, St. Mary, the Mount and St. Benedict's took part in the panel. The theme, "Mary and the Student Life," was discussed under the aspects of "Mary and the Intellectual Life," "Mary and the Spiritual Life," and "Mary and the Apostolic Life" by these colleges. The audience rotated to allow everyone to hear all three discussions. The Congress closed with Benediction at 4:00 P.M.

Twelve delegates from St. Ter-

esa's attended the meeting. Members of the panel were: Chairman, Pat Ketterlin, Sodality Prefect; Winifred Purdome, Vice-Prefect; and Sandy Janousek and Virginia Bartholome. Sister Rose Agnes, Sodality Moderator, and Father Joseph Nadeau, chaplain, accompanied the group to St. Mary's.

## College Students Model in Music Department Show

The annual spring Fashion Show and Choral Concert under the direction of Sister Olive Louise, was held the evenings of March 13 and 14. Fashions from Alder's, Pete Potter's, and The Bridal Shop were featured. Clothes for both formal and casual wear were shown as well as fashions for the June bride and her wedding party.

The college chorus sang a medley of songs from *The Mikado* by Gilbert and Sullivan and the ensemble sang selections from *Brigadoon*. Twila Hegarty danced to "Star Dust."

College students who modeled the formals and bridal gowns were: Judy Stephenson, Charlotte Lee, Rita Hall, Mary Margaret Shine, Carol Anne Bartman, Mary Lou McMichael, Virginia Brown, Jane Kirkpatrick, Marilyn Hentges, Jan Casper, and Joyce Ralston.

## Mission News . . .

Mary Catherine McShane was elected assistant treasurer at the February meeting of the campus Mission Club.

Members are continuing their study project with particular emphasis on the history, religions and art of Japan, their adoptive mission country. An apostolic program of sending donations and correspondence to the adopted missionaries in the United States and foreign countries has been initiated.

## Chapter of French Honor Society to Be Installed

Sister Rita Agnes has announced that a chapter of Pi Delta Phi, the National French Honor Society, will soon be installed at the College of St. Teresa.

The purpose of Pi Delta Phi is to increase knowledge and love of France by stimulating students of French in American colleges to greater activity and interest in the language, literature and civilization of France.

Pi Delta Phi elects those who excel in their studies and have shown an admiration and respect for French culture. Regular members are elected from outstanding

students majoring or minoring in French, after they have completed one semester of upper division work. The candidate must have a B average in all French courses and a B- in other college courses. Special members have the same requirements except the student need not major or minor in French. Honorary membership includes the French staff and other interested members of the faculty who speak the language adequately. Active and special members who have completed their formal studies become alumni members.

## 'Teresian' Submits News to MCNA Contest at M.U.

Entries from **THE TERESIAN** were submitted to the annual college newspaper contest sponsored by the Missouri College Newspaper Association of the University of Missouri.

Plaques will be presented to colleges winning the Best Newspaper division. MCNA gold keys will be awarded individual winners who receive a "Best" rating in the following newspaper divisions: news story, editorial, feature, cartoon, special column, and critical review. All awards will be presented at the spring convention of MCNA, University of Missouri.

## A CST Freshman Elected Rockhurst Homecoming Queen

Jackie McElligatt, freshman, was crowned queen of the basketball homecoming dance on February 21 Jackie was chosen from a group of twenty-five candidates by vote of the Rockhurst student body. The final selection was made at elections from a list of five candidates who had been presented as finalists at half-time of the homecoming basketball game. After being presented by Leo Kelly, student council president, Jackie was crowned by Jim Karl, the captain of the basketball team. Kathy Gordon, a junior, and one of the five finalists, was also presented at the dance.

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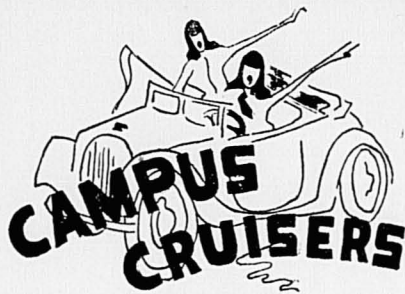
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According to my slide rule, it is spring. Flurries of snow always inspire spring fever. Erudite cold germs hover innocently about the class rooms instigating sneezes and coughs that interrupt monotone lectures and provide intermission for blowing. I notice not only the students have spring fever and colds. A distinguished member of our faculty asked a class. "Does anyone have a mirage in his locker?"

Botany students haunt the campus for signs of buds and blossoms. Gym enthusiasts shiver as the wind blows them from Donnelly Hall to the Music and Arts building. A lone man on campus bursts into song with Marilyn Hentges in *The Old Maid and the Thief*. The leprechauns have disappeared, except for the pins that the Drama students are wearing. Chemistry students discovered that their Bunsen Burners provide little warmth against the cold of spring.

#### No False Alarm

It wasn't a Bunsen burner that caused the fire alarm Mardi Gras. Few of the faculty were panicked until the fireman arrived. Class meetings had suddenly forgotten all parliamentary procedure. Sister Eucharis calmly announced to the Junior Class that they heard a fire-alarm. The panic was slight and the drill was sloppy. Order was restored in the cafeteria when Dr. Moslander was crowned Queen. Brownies, cokes and coffee provided calories for everyone. The faculty some of whom were represented by proxy provided laughs for all. The party was complete when we found out that three o'clock classes would be postponed for ten minutes.

#### Smokeless Smoker

Ash Wednesday dawned in an almost smokeless smoker. Candy and ice cream machines are at a standstill as students are taking inventory not only of their souls, but also of their figures. Lent comes at an appropriate time. One can try to be the Easter size she'd like to be. Have you noticed that some penitents are taking the positive attitude—rather than giving up they do something—study with fervor, hoard cuts for baseball season, practice charity and play bridge. Unhappy faces, the last few days, are either twenty-one, or else it is because it is not time to play Bridge. Trumps are down since that new schedule was nailed onto the smoker bulletin board. Not since Luther nailed his Ninety-Five Theses on the door of All Saints Church in Wittenburg, has there been such consternation.

#### Frustrated

Speaking of heroics, Freud has frustrated the sophomores. Not only the pronunciation of his name, but his influence in twentieth century painting exerts as much confusion as some quantitative problems. Psychology classes had to stop at a hazardous moment the other day. The bell rang when we were trying to prove why the faculty is not abnormal.

It pays to read Campus Cruisers — Sophomore humanities jot this down: Louvain is in Belgium and so was Cardinal Mercier. For those of you who are more interested in fashion than the Humanities, our foreign correspondent Mlle. Magpie says cash more

## Home Ec Majors At K. U. Meet

Sheila Stacy and Mary Louise Parra, junior home ec majors, attended the workshop of the Electrical Women's Round Table at Kansas University. Highlights of the convention were conferences on fabrics, make-up, demonstration of new electronic ranges and a fashion show.

Mary Louise and Sheila were the only students at the convention and the professional delegates expressed interest in the possibility of inviting more students to their next meetings. Professional home economists and members of the staff of the Power and Light companies of Missouri and Kansas were also present.

Mrs. Donald Dorei and students from the home ec classes also attended the annual meeting of the Home Economics in Business Association at the Gas Service Company. The theme of the meeting, "What potential employers look for in home ec graduates" was carried out in speeches and demonstrations. Opportunities for home economists in the development and application of new products in textiles, foods and appliance industries were considered.

## Lit Club Members Attend Workshop

Five members of the campus literary commission attended a literary workshop held at Mount St. Scholastica Saturday, March 2. Cerise Heaton, Joanne Parrot, and Anne Yonke presented a panel on J. F. Powers, contemporary Catholic short story writer. Cerise gave a biographical sketch of the writer; Anne presented critical reviews of his stories; and Joanne discussed a typical short story, "The Prince of Darkness."

St. Benedict's College presented a similar panel on Paul Horgan, Catholic author and historian of the New Mexico region. A general discussion was opened to all the delegates following the panels.

## Duo Sing at Kansas City Music Club

Marilyn Hentges, CST sophomore, and Tom Cutler, a student at the Conservatory of Music, were recently invited to sing "The Letter Duet" from *The Barber of Seville* at the March meeting of the Kansas City Music Club. They were asked to perform after singing the selection at the Student Department of the Club. The meeting was held March 4, at the Kansas City Art Institute.

Marilyn and Tom have been singing together since last year when they sang at the Mozart assembly at CST. They are at present doing Gian Carlo Menotti's comic opera, *The Old Maid and the Thief* for various schools in the city. The opera will be given at CST April 29. Other members of the cast are Bonnie Ingenthron and Mary Lou McMichael.

checks will keep you in style all year long. If you go in for lighting effects, the lampshade silhouette and lantern sleeves should enhance the glow in your escort's eyes. School and fashion are like a roulette wheel, round and round, where it stops no body knows.



## Student Council

## Plan and Play



## Original Play At April Meet

The Literary Club plans to present an original play at the April meeting after Easter. The play, "Campused", was written by Margaret Yonke, junior, last semester in the Creative Writing Class. It will be produced and directed by the members of the Literary Club. Colored slides of the plays, College Day, and other school activities will be shown for the purpose of giving some highlights of college life.

## The Easter Liturgy

Sodality meeting was held on Tuesday, March 12. Reverend Hugh Farrington, O.S.B., chaplain of Perpetual Adoration Convent and instructor at the college, spoke on the services and liturgy of the Easter season.

Reception of new Sodality members was held Wednesday, March 13, following the monthly Mass.

## FRENCH MAJOR, Con't.

Mary Jo also presented two scenes from Racine's *Phedre*, in which she played the lead earlier this year at the Kansas City University Playhouse.

This program was Mary Jo's comprehensive as a French major.

OFFICERS: (top picture) Maureen White, president; Linda Turner, senior representative; Jean Carol Jacobson, vice-president; Charlene Mathews, treasurer; and Suzie Giblin, secretary. (Bottom picture) Other members of the council: Sallie Rielley, press representative; Anne Yonke, sophomore representative; (standing) Ellen O'Hearn, NF senior delegate; Pat Ketterlin, Sodality Prefect; Carmeline Bergup, resident student representative; Bonnie Ingenthron, freshman representative. Julie Stephenson, not in picture (see p. 2 for her picture) is also a member of the Council.

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